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## NEWSY ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Hartington Herald: Mrs. Steve Hass went to Dakota City on Friday for a visit.

Wisner Chronicle: H. N. Wagner of the Homer Star and family were Thanksgiving guests of his folks, the J. E. and Leo Wagner families.

Fonda, Iowa, Times: Mrs. Burr Kroesen and daughter Beth and son Paul, and Mrs. Lillian McLaughlin, were visitors at Ft. Dodge Friday.

Fullerton News-Journal: Mr. and Mrs. Will Bintz drove to Walthill on Wednesday, they were accompanied by Mrs. Mason, who has been visiting in Fullerton.

Wayne Herald: Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Mace left for Homer, Neb., Wednesday to attend the funeral of their son-in-law, Knute Crippen, who died at that place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Magnet items in Wausa Gazette: Art C. Nelson, Lyle Olson and Roy Freiburghouse came back Monday afternoon from Witten, S. D., where they have spent the past three weeks working at the carpenter trade.

Waterbury items in Allen News: Cora Linafelter is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. S. M. Way, of So. Sioux City. John Walsh, reported sick last week, died Wednesday night, after an illness of only a few days. He was 24 years, 1 month and 1 day old. His funeral was held in the church at Willis, interment was in St. John's cemetery north of Jackson.

Sioux City Tribune, 26: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Heikes, of Dakota City, and Mrs. J. A. Nixon and family, were entertained Thursday in the home of Mr. Charles Kerr and his mother. Miss Gwendolyn Cadot, 4209 Garretson avenue, was hostess at an informal house party Thursday evening, in honor of her guest, Miss Vera Hewett, who is a student at Jackson, Neb.

Lyons Mirror-Sun: Mrs. M. M. Wepner and daughter Mary made a business trip to Oakland Friday. Mrs. Marie Dierking, and Ernest Dierking and wife, of South Sioux City, were guests at the Wm. Sand home this week. Geo. J. Boucher, executive superintendent of Dakota county, was down from Dakota City Friday to see the football game between South Sioux City and Lyons.

Sioux City Journal, 28: C. J. Kloster was elected chief of the South Sioux City fire department at a meeting of the citizens held Friday night to organize the department. Ed Garnett was chosen as first assistant and Mason Antrim, second assistant. H. A. Phillips was elected secretary and H. O. Crane, treasurer. The department has been disorganized since the latter part of 1918 and started last night with about twenty-five members.

Ponca Journal: J. D. Dennis was transacting business at Dakota City Tuesday. George H. Hanse and Mr.

Zastrow of Emerson, were transacting business at the county seat Tuesday. Prof. and Mrs. Jacobson will spend their Thanksgiving vacation in Sioux City with the latter's mother, Mrs. Ross. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sigler left Monday—the former went to Wisconsin with their household goods and the latter stopped at So. Sioux City for a short visit with relatives.

Emerson Enterprise: Mr. and Mrs. Norval Church went to Homer last Saturday to visit relatives for about a week. Mrs. W. E. Lennox and Mrs. Chas. Giegear, of Allen, went to Omaha Wednesday to attend the funeral of a relative. Robert Small, cashier of the Homer State bank, was in this section the latter part of last week. He was looking after a piece of land on the reservation. Neils Tolstrop and family left Saturday for Los Angeles, where they will spend several months enjoying the sights and pleasant weather. Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkins will occupy the Tolstrop residence during their absence.

Walthill Citizen: W. H. Mason was an Omaha business visitor last Thursday. Mrs. Walter Howell was a Sioux City and Jackson visitor on Friday and Saturday. Mrs. El Means went to Minneapolis, Minn., to spend some time with her relatives. Mrs. M. Mason of Homer is visiting her son, W. H. Mason, and family, over Thanksgiving. Mrs. Will Darnell and boys spent the week-end with relatives in Jackson. Mrs. D. H. Hager, of Dakota City, spent a couple of days the past week with her niece, Mrs. W. H. Mason and family. Miss Lena, Mrs. Hager, daughter, visited here from Dakota City, spent Sunday afternoon with Ralph Mason and family at Rosalie. Mrs. W. H. Mason returned last Wednesday evening from Fullerton and Columbus, Neb., the latter place where her aunt went through an operation at the Catholic hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Will Bintz of Fullerton brought Mrs. Mason home in their car, and returned home the next morning.

### Lutheran Church Notes

By Rev. C. R. Lowe.

It is too bad the rain spoiled our "harvest festival" last Sunday. The pastor and our janitor were there waiting for the congregation. We will bring our gifts for Tabitha Home next Sunday.

Dr. E. E. Stauffer has written that if weather does not interfere again he will be with us next Sunday morning at Salem. Dr. Stauffer is president of Midland college. He will make an effort to visit some of our homes while he is here. Come and see and hear him.

We will begin our catechism lectures next Sunday night, if nothing prevents.

Remember the frolic at the church Friday evening, December 10. We will spell and sing old songs. Come and enjoy your friends and neighbors. Be a part of the good time; engage in the game gladly.

## Our First Birthday

On this the first Anniversary of the opening of the Goodwin State Bank, we wish to thank our patrons and friends for the splendid co-operation which has made our success possible.

We realize fully that without this co-operation we could attain nothing and we trust that with your continued help the coming year will show even better results than the past.

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## "Thine Is the Glory"



This painting, which hangs in National Headquarters of the American Red Cross, Washington, depicts the homage of America's fighting men to American womanhood as mobilized for service in the World War by this organization. It is the collaborative scientific and art creation of Major Joseph Gray Kitchell, late of the General Staff, U. S. A., and F. Luis Mora, of the New York School of Art. The face of the central figure is a composite of the features of a thousand Red Cross workers selected for the purpose.

### DAKOTA CITY SCHOOL NOTES

J. Irwin Long, Superintendent

(Written by George Labors)

A very nice Thanksgiving day was enjoyed by the school. At least no report of a poor day has been turned in. Several members of school went to see the football game at South Sioux City with Homer, in which Homer lost by a score of 13 to 0. South Sioux City's record is next to that of our own team. She has won all except one game, which turned out a tie, while our boys won every game played—nine. Dakota City's schedule was completed with the Emerson game and the boys feel that they cannot play for the championship, as several of their backfield men are on the "blink." Suffice it to say, that our boys have done wonderful work this season and we have yet to see the high school team that has a better record than Dakota City.

A grand supper was enjoyed at Graham's last Saturday by the football team and those who were connected with it. Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Forbes must be congratulated for their ability at entertaining.

Nellie Triggs, from Allen, was a Monday visitor in the high school.

We are indeed grateful to the girls for removing the lace curtains from the assembly room windows. It is a relief to be able to look out upon the outside world without anything to hinder.

We are wondering whether that

"Gribble boy" ate too heartily at the supper Saturday evening. If not, will he kindly explain his absence on Monday.

If it wasn't for addition the senior class in arithmetic would be a perfect bunch of mathematicians. They are now beginning the study of writing checks and notes. Here's hoping that some one makes a mistake and hands the cashier a check for several millions (?)

### No Increase in Price.

The State Journal is the only big state paper that has not raised its price. Still being asked at the old rate of \$5 a year without Sunday, or \$7 with the big Sunday paper. The publishers hope it will not be necessary to make an increase and will fight it off as long as possible. Everybody should help to get down to a moderate basis of prices. You will admit that \$5 a year for a great daily like the State Journal is not profiteering. It's the cheapest thing you can buy. The Journal satisfies the needs of the whole family. It is less partisan and more independent than any other state paper. It prints all the news that's fit to print and is filled with many exclusive features. The coming session of both the state and national legislatures will be of unusual interest. The Journal for fifty years has devoted more space to Nebraska news than any other paper. Prepare for the long winter by sending in your order for the Nebraska State Journal now.

The Herald for News when it is News.

### Farm Bureau Field Notes

C. R. Young, County Agent

Rainy weather and a holiday greatly hampered the progress of the Farm Bureau membership drive last week. However, we feel that under these conditions the results were more than could have reasonably been expected. The returns by precincts was:

Hubbard	72
Covington	66
Dakota	58
Omaha	52
Emerson	49
St. John's	30
Pigeon Creek	64
Summit	78
TOTAL	509

There are still some people to see in all precincts. In Emerson and St. John's there is considerable uncollected territory.

Dakota county has 713 farms. The 1919 statistics shows that of these, 266 are farmed by their owners and 347 by tenants. Tenancy has increased that at present more than half are renters. Most of these renters were very loyal to the movement, but in many cases they are planning to leave. In not a few instances the farmer is planning to quit the farm. Then, too, it often happened that the man was away from home when the solicitor visited him. The number of refusals was very low. A full report will be made public as soon as complete returns are in. Our schedule shows as high as twenty-four members secured by a single solicitor in a day, without a failure to get a member.

### JUNIOR RED CROSS BUSY IN NEBRASKA

With the opening of school this term in Nebraska the Junior Red Cross activities have begun with enthusiasm. The year's program presented many new features for the boys and girls, and they entered upon it with revived interest.

Many local projects of service to the schools and to unfortunate children is being stimulated by partial and complete financial reports by the Junior Red Cross. Such projects, except in case of unfortunate children, are involving the betterment of the schools as a whole and not any special group.

The Junior Red Cross intends to cooperate more than ever with the schools throughout Nebraska this year. In all the communities it is working with the school authorities in carrying on regular class room activities.

Of course, the boys and girls will help this fall with the community work, as they have in the past. The annual clean-up programs will be aided by the Junior Red Cross, as well as the promotion of health campaigns.

### M. E. Church Notes

Rev. S. A. Draise, Pastor

Rainy weather prevented church services last Sunday evening. There is quite a surprise in store for Sunday evening worshippers along musical lines of service, so be at church next Sunday evening to enjoy it.

The Christmas program of the Sunday school is now being planned.

## NEBRASKA WAGES HEALTH DRIVES

State Shows Wonderful Progress in Nursing Service, Especially in Rural Districts.

The Nursing Service of the American Red Cross throughout Nebraska has assumed proportions undreamed of during the last year. A year ago the state had but one Red Cross nurse. Today practically every large city in the state has a large or small staff of trained nurses.



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The chapters are paying particular attention to their districts where health work has been neglected. For this reason a large number of classes in nursing instruction are in progress at this time.

The city problem and the rural problem for visiting nurses are necessarily different, but the same fundamentals of training are needed to prepare the nurse to cope with them, and the young woman who assumes the responsibility of a rural situation must be exceptionally broad visioned and well prepared, because the service usually is isolated and the individual nurse has to depend upon her own initiative in matters that are exclusively professional.

### Great Task Ahead.

The Nursing Service has a great work to perform in Nebraska. Despite the fact that work along this line has been neglected, the Red Cross chapters are rallying to the cause and intend to "carry on."

An example of the excellent work the Nursing Service is doing was clearly demonstrated recently during the school inspection in one of the rural schools. The nurse, in her examination found that the school of 265 pupils did not have one normal child. She immediately called a meeting of the parents and informed them as to the serious condition. The children also were lectured on health essentials. This nurse will, from time to time, receive a report of the children's health and will follow up her work throughout the year.

### Teaches Many Subjects.

The examination of the school children is just one of the important phases of the nurse's work. She conducts classes in home hygiene and malnutrition; she aids in the establishing of health centers; she instructs volunteer workers and organizes community work—in all she is the teacher.

In many of the smaller districts of Nebraska where the Red Cross chapters have been unable to carry on the task through lack of workers, a number of the chapters have combined their interests and work under one Red Cross chapter. This was true in the community around Knox county, where eight Red Cross chapters consolidated and now work under one chapter—the Knox County chapter.

Everywhere in Nebraska the greatest interest is being manifested in the work for health and the chapters are furnishing recreational and other community needs.

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